

RÉSUMÉ DIGEST

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Prior House Rule provided that at the discretion of the Speaker on the last legislative day of the week for the House of Representatives, the House could consider legislative instruments on third reading and final consideration or final passage that are noncontroversial in preferential order, referred to as the "Berthelot Rule".

New House Rule instead provides that on any legislative day, at the discretion of the Speaker and upon the motion of any member, the House may consider legislative instruments on third reading and final consideration or final passage that are noncontroversial in preferential order.

Prior House Rule required the Speaker to announce his intention to proceed under the Berthelot Rule no later than the legislative day prior to the last legislative day of the week.

New House Rule repeals prior House Rule.

Existing House Rule provides that if a legislative instrument is not considered in order of its maturing due to the House proceeding pursuant to the Berthelot Rule, or if a member objects to a legislative instrument being considered in preferential order pursuant to the rule, the legislative instrument shall remain on the calendar in the same numerical order.

Prior House Rule provided for consideration of such legislative instruments on the next legislative day.

New House Rule repeals prior House Rule.

(Amends House Rule 8.8.1)